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Chris,

Just making sure you are aware of this action today. FOIA exemption (b)(5)

From yesterday's weekly report:

Litigation Update: Deschutes River TMDL CWA Case

On June 25, 2018, the U.S. District Court for the District of Washington issued an order granting NWEA's motion for summary judgment in *NWEA v. EPA*. NWEA had alleged that EPA violated section 303(d)(2) of the Clean Water Act by failing to act on the Deschutes River TMDL, which was submitted to EPA by the Washington Department of Ecology in December 2015. The Court ordered EPA to complete its CWA 303(d) review action by June 29, 2018. **EPA intends to complete its action by June 29th, in accordance with the Court's order.**

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